## Sermon 'Significant Suffering' Rev. Mark Simonds "Building On The Foundation" A Series on the Letter to the Hebrews

## Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

"Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."

Offertory

'Open My Eyes, That I May See'

~ Scott

\*Doxology Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*Dedication of Offering

\*Dismissing Hymn No. 510

'Jesus Is All the World to Me'

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response No. 43

'Great Is Thy Faithfulness'

(refrain)

**Postlude** 

'Standing On the Promises'

~ Carter

We're glad you joined us for worship today! Thank you for placing the Bibles, hymnals and attendance books back on the chairs.

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We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord's Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him.

God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him.

Your Worship Commission

\*Please stand, if you are able.

Nursery for children infant to 4 yrs. old is available upstairs in the Christian Education Wing (please see Usher for directions)

### Meditation

For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

~ *Hebrews 2:18 (ESV)* 

#### Westminster Chimes and Announcements

(During announcements, we ask members and visitors to please sign the Friendship Register and pass it on. Send them back down your row so you can note who is worshipping with you today. We invite visitors to give us your complete address.)

**Opening Prayer** 

**Prelude** 'Fairest Lord Jesus'

~ arr. Willis

\*Call to Worship From Psalm 36:5-10 (ESV) Paula Keefer Herter, Lay Assistant Leader: Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

People: Your righteousness is like the mountains of God; your judgments are like the great deep; man and beast you save, O LORD.

Leader: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings. They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

People: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light do we see light. Oh, continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your righteousness to the upright of heart!

'Great Is Thy Faithfulness'

\*Praise Songs

'Drenched in Love'
'What A Beautiful Name'

## Call to Confession

## **Prayer of Confession**

Lord, we thank you that we can come to you. We are able to pray as righteous people, not for any credit of our own, but for the righteousness of Jesus Christ which we receive by faith. As for us, apart from Christ we are sinners. Yet, in Christ we know that we are forgiven, and you look at us as if we had never sinned. You tell us if any of us sins we have an advocate with you, Jesus Christ the righteous. You tell us to confess our sins and when we confess you are faithful and just to forgive and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Therefore, we confess and find in you our forgiveness. Amen... (silent prayers of confession)

## Assurance of Pardon

Congregation Response: Thanks be to God!

### \*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen

## \* Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Daniel 3:8-28

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